AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

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Please amend claims 1 and 2 as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A multihop radio network system, through which a signal is transmitted from a source node to a destination node via a relay node nodes, said multihop radio network system comprising:

a source node configured to modulate and transmit a signal to reach a destination node via a plurality of paths; and

said relay nodes configured to regenerate and relay; and

a destination node configured to receive signals transmitted through the plurality of paths by demodulating signals by hard-decided values in each path and then combining them based on reliability data of each path.

2. (Currently Amended) A receiver system of a multihop radio network system, through which a signal is transmitted from a source node to a destination node via <u>plurality of paths</u> through a relay node nodes configured to regenerate, said receiver system comprising:

a demodulator configured to demodulate signals by hard-decided values in each path;

a combiner configured to depacketize demodulated signals for respective paths and combine them; and

a decoder configured to decode a combined signal.

- 3. (Original) The receiver system according to Claim 2, wherein the combiner is configured to combine by averaging based on the number of paths.
- 4. (Original) The receiver system according to Claim 2, wherein the combiner is configured to combine by multiplying by a weight based on reliability data for each of the paths.